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|  | In re Application of   |         |                         |
|  | Ludger DINKELBORG et al.   |         |                         |
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|  | 10/718,580   |         | November 24, 2003       |
|  | STENTS WITH A RADIOACTIVE SURFACE COATING, For PROCESS FOR THEIR PRODUCTION AND THEIR USE FOR RESTENOSIS PROPHYLAXIS |         |                         |
|  | Group Art Unit Examiner  |         |                         |
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| Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner dated, <u>December 28, 2004</u> , rejecting the following claims: <u>10-13 and 28-30</u> . |  |         |                         |
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|  |  |         | Date                    |
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